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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b><br><b>FY 2005</b><br>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)  |                                  | Docket Number (Optional)<br>0425-1101P |                         |
| Application Number<br>10/743,432-Conf. #7534  |                                  | Filed<br>December 23, 2003             |                         |
| For HIGH TEMPERATURE TREATING METHOD FOR INFLATORS  |                                  |  |                         |
| Art Unit<br>1742  |                                  | Examiner<br>M. J. Andrews              |                         |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.<br>The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): |                                  |  |                         |
|   |                                  | <u>Fee</u>                             | <u>Small Entity Fee</u> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>   | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))    | \$120                                  | \$60 \$ 120.00          |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))   | \$450                                  | \$225 \$                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$1020                                 | \$510 \$                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))  | \$1590                                 | \$795 \$                |
| <input type="checkbox"/>  | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))  | \$2160                                 | \$1080 \$               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.   |                                  |  |                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.   |                                  |  |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.   |                                  |  |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.  |                                  |  |                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-2448. <del>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</del>                  |                                  |  |                         |
| I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.   |                                  |  |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.<br>Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).   |                                  |  |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____   |                                  |  |                         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.<br>Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 19,382  |                                  |  |                         |
| <br>Signature  |                                  | July 29, 2005<br>Date                  |                         |
| Terrell C. Birch<br>Typed or printed name   |                                  | (703) 205-8011<br>Telephone Number     |                         |
| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.   |                                  |  |                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Total of 1 forms are submitted.  |                                  |  |                         |

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| <b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b><br><b>For FY 2005</b>                                   |  | <b>Complete if Known</b> |                        |
|  |  | Application Number       | 10/743,432-Conf. #7534 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 |  | Filing Date              | December 23, 2003      |
|  |  | First Named Inventor     | Kaoru YAMAKI           |
|  |  | Examiner Name            | M. J. Andrews          |
| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT  |  | (\$)                     | 120.00                 |
|  |  | Attorney Docket No.      | 0425-1101P             |

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| <b>METHOD OF PAYMENT</b> (check all that apply)   |   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check   | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Money Order  | <input type="checkbox"/> None   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please identify):   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deposit Account  | Deposit Account Number: 02-2448   |
|   | Deposit Account Name: Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP                        |
| For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)                |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below  | <input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayments                       |

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| <b>FEE CALCULATION</b>  |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  |                              |                       |
| <b>1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES</b>  |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  |                              |                       |
|   | <b>FILING FEES</b>  |   | <b>SEARCH FEES</b>             |                              | <b>EXAMINATION FEES</b>          |                              |                       |
| <b>Application Type</b>   | <b>Fee (\$)</b>     | <b>Small Entity Fee (\$)</b>                            | <b>Fee (\$)</b>                | <b>Small Entity Fee (\$)</b> | <b>Fee (\$)</b>                  | <b>Small Entity Fee (\$)</b> | <b>Fees Paid (\$)</b> |
| Utility   | 300                 | 150   | 500                            | 250                          | 200                              | 100                          |                       |
| Design  | 200                 | 100   | 100                            | 50                           | 130                              | 65                           |                       |
| Plant   | 200                 | 100   | 300                            | 150                          | 160                              | 80                           |                       |
| Reissue   | 300                 | 150   | 500                            | 250                          | 600                              | 300                          |                       |
| Provisional   | 200                 | 100   | 0                              | 0                            | 0                                | 0                            |                       |
| <b>2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES</b>   |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  |                              |                       |
|   |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  | <b>Small Entity Fee (\$)</b> | <b>Fee (\$)</b>       |
| Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)   |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  | 50                           | 25                    |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)  |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  | 200                          | 100                   |
| Multiple dependent claims   |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  | 360                          | 180                   |
| <b>Total Claims</b>   |                     | <b>Extra Claims</b>                                     | <b>Fee (\$)</b>                | <b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>         | <b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b> |                              |                       |
| 23  |                     | - 23 =  | x                              | =                            | <b>Fee (\$)</b>                  |                              | <b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>  |
| <b>Indep. Claims</b>  |                     | <b>Extra Claims</b>                                     | <b>Fee (\$)</b>                | <b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>         |                                  |                              |                       |
| 1   |                     | - 3 =   | x                              | =                            |                                  |                              |                       |
| <b>3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE</b>  |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  |                              |                       |
| If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  |                              |                       |
| <b>Total Sheets</b>   | <b>Extra Sheets</b> | <b>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</b> |                                | <b>Fee (\$)</b>              | <b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>             |                              |                       |
|   | - 100 =             | /50   | (round up to a whole number) x | =                            |                                  |                              |                       |
| <b>4. OTHER FEE(S)</b>  |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  |                              |                       |
| Non-English Specification. \$130 fee (no small entity discount)   |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  | <b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>        |                       |
| Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1251 Extension for response within first month   |                     |   |                                |                              |                                  | 120.00                       |                       |

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| <b>SUBMITTED BY</b> |                  |                                   |                |
| Signature           |                  | Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) | 19,382         |
| Name (Print/Type)   | Terrell C. Birch | Telephone                         | (703) 205-8011 |
|                     |                  | Date                              | July 29, 2005  |